

## NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

### And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

The annual banquet of the Hamlin Board of Community Development will be held next Thursday evening and it is important that a good turnout of Hamlin citizens be on hand for the occasion.

The BCD is finishing up one of its better years and is already making plans for an even better one this year.

Sometimes it is hard to pin point just what a BCD or Chamber of Commerce does for a town but it can and should be one of its most vital organizations. But this is not possible without the full support of the community — both in time and interest by the citizens but also their money.

By its nature the BCD operates through its committees and if these committees are to accomplish anything, its members must be active. This past year the BCD had some very active committees but it also had some that were almost inactive.

The Retail Trade Committee had one of its best years as did the Community Development Committee. Among the many projects undertaken by the Trade Committee were the sidewalk sales and flea markets, the Christmas decorations and the Christmas program. The Community Development Committee launched a cleanup campaign that helped eliminate many of the eye sores around town — most notable of these were some of the old carts that were removed.

But like any organizations the BCD can only do as much as its members want it to do. You can not just sit back and ask why the BCD does not do more to attract industry — you have to join in with your fellow citizens and do the job. And this is true of any other project that should be accomplished by the BCD.

Community development is not something that you can leave to others to accomplish but it is something that everyone must take part in.

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce is staging something different this year for members in that South Plains city that might hold promise for other communities. They are having a "retreat" at the Holiday Inn in Clovis, N. M., where Littlefield Chamber members will relax and enter into a planning session for the city.

There will be no formal program. The people attending this retreat will sit down together to identify local problems, set up objectives and outline realistic ways to accomplish these objectives.

Any community needs to find some way for its people to get together and look at their problems and their goals. Most communities have only a hazy idea of what their problems are and even less of an idea of how to solve them.

Maybe a retreat would be the answer or maybe just a town hall type meeting some evening would accomplish this. But some way needs to be found to do a better job of channeling local resources in the direction of community improvement.

Far too many of us want someone else to solve all of our problems and we too often get upset when they don't. But only the citizens of this area can make this a stronger community and there aren't so many of us but what all of us will have to take part if anything major is ever accomplished.

A step in the right direction would be for you to attend the BCD banquet next Thursday and at least offer encouragement to the newly elected officers and directors. If they are to accomplish much this coming year they will need your support and encouragement.

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**GONZALEZ WITH CHAMPION GILT** — Carlos Gonzalez, Hamlin Future Farmer of America member, won top honors at the Community Livestock show held at the Jaycee Community Building Saturday. He showed the grand champion and reserve champion breeding swine and the reserve champion barrow. He was also named showmanship winner. See story on page 7.

(Photo by Larry Jayroe)

## HAMLIN AS HOSTS—

# County Livestock Show Set In Anson Saturday

Judging in the annual Jones County Livestock Show will get underway in Anson Saturday morning at 9 a.m. Hamlin will serve as hosts for the show with Hamlin Future Farmers of America members serving as superintendents and assistants.

All swine entries must be in the barn by 5 p.m. Friday and all other exhibits must be in their stalls or pens by 8 a.m. Saturday.

Albert Maberry, manager of the Big Three Swine Farms of Roby, will judge the rabbit, poultry and swine shows. L. R. McDaniel, Vocational Agriculture Teacher of Robert Lee, will judge the sheep, dairy and beef shows.

General superintendent for the show will be Hamlin Vocational Agriculture Teacher T. C. Blankinship and Milburn Wink, local Vocational Agriculture Teacher, is permanent secretary for the show.

Serving as assistant general superintendents will be FFA members Rodney Rackley, Oscar Guerra, Carlos Gonzalez, Johnny Howard, David Thompson and Rickey Gruben. Georgia Deaton and Shelley Holtz will serve as assistant show secretaries.

Beef superintendent will be Kenneth Payne, assisted by Johnny Howard; dairy superintendent will be Johnny Howard, assisted by Kenneth

Payne; swine superintendent will be Oscar Guerra, assisted by Rodney Rackley, Carlos Gonzalez, David Mitchell and Danny Wood; sheep superintendent will be Rickey Gruben, assisted by Tommy Gabriel; poultry superintendent will be David Thompson; and rabbit superintendent will be Larry Jayroe.

Trophies for the Livestock show have been donated by the following: champion market steer, Lueders Lions Club; champion breeding swine female, Hawley Lions Club; champion dairy female, Roy Moritz in memory of V. B. Rowland; champion market barrow, Hamlin Lions Club; champion breeding beef female, Sam Baize; champion market lamb, Farmers and Merchants National Bank, Hamlin.

Champion ewe, Anson Lions Club; champion broilers, Hamlin Rotary Club; best rabbit exhibit, Jones County Farm Bureau and Outstanding exhibitor of show, Stamford Electric Cooperative.

Market barrows lead the list of entries in show with 76, summary of other entries include: market steers, 11; breeding beef females, 10; dairy cows, 1; commercial beef calves, 26; breeding swine females, 62; breeding ewes, 27; market lambs, 24; pens of broilers, 13; and rabbit exhibits, 26.

Hamlin FFA entries include: Tom Max Hogan, 2 Hereford heifers; Rickey Gruben, Crossbred heifer; George Gonzalez, Crossbred gilt, Duroc barrow and Crossbred barrow; Oscar Guerra, two Duroc barrows and Crossbred barrow; Carlos Gonzalez, Duroc barrow and two Crossbred barrows.

Ray Sonnenburg, Duroc barrow and two Chester White barrows; Larry Jayroe, two pens of broilers; Randy Crouch, three rabbits; Gary Creason, two rabbits; David Thompson, nine rabbits; Ricky Crowley, commercial calf; Rickey Gruben, commercial calf; Tom Max Hogan, two commercial calves; and Paul Waggoner, commercial calf.

Hamlin 4-H entries include: Doris Harendt, Hereford steer; LaVona Harendt, Crossbred steer; Gary Lain, Duroc barrow and Crossbred barrow; Travis Lain, Duroc barrow and Chester White barrow; David Moore, two Chester White barrows; Guylan Roberts, two rabbits; Robert Morales, two rabbits; and Ronald Crouch, two rabbits.

## TICKETS ON SALE—

# Plans Complete for BCD Banquet Jan. 20

Final plans for the annual Hamlin Board of Community Development Banquet were made by the board of directors at their meeting here Wednesday, Jan. 20. The banquet will be held in the high school cafeteria at 7:30, Thursday, Jan. 20.

Speaker for the occasion will be Rev. Kenneth Wyatt of Tulsa, a Methodist Church evangelist and an outstanding humorist and speaker on Christian principles.

Tickets, priced at \$3.50 each, went on sale this week and may be purchased from any director and in several downtown locations.

A highlight of this year's banquet will be the naming of the first "Citizen of the Year" award. The presentation will be made by Melvin Scott, chairman of the selection committee, and will be a secret until the announcement is made.

Master of ceremonies for the banquet will be Rev. Johnnie Williams, pastor of the First United Methodist Church. The High School Stage Band, under the direction of Tim Jones, will present a musical program.

Others on the program will be Rev. Marshall Stewart who will give the invocation and Rev. Howard Jones who will give the benediction. Jack Willingham, vice president, will introduce the guests and John Scarborough, retiring president, will introduce the new officers and directors and give a report on the year's activities.

New officers to be installed will be Charles Reed, president; Scott, first vice president; Lee Hastings, second vice president and Donald Young, treasurer. During a short business session a special committee will submit in amendment to the organization's by-laws. The text of this amendment follows:

**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO BYLAWS OF HAMLIN BOARD OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**  
**ARTICLE VII**  
**SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS.**  
These bylaws may be altered, amended, repealed or added to by a majority vote of the Board of Directors present and voting at any regular meeting of said Board, or at a special meeting of the Directors called for that purpose, provided a quorum of the Directors are present at such regular or special meeting.

Decorations for the banquet

will be furnished by the Woman's Literary Club, the Business and Professional Women's Club, The Beta Theta and Xi Gamma Pi, Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi, the Jayceettes, and the Garden Club.

Rev. Wyatt, who is a noted

western artist as well as an evangelist, is in demand by clubs and young people's organizations as a speaker. He has served on the Knife and Fork Club circuit and now only accepts a limited number of speaking dates.

# Charles Reed To Head BCD

New officers for 1972 were elected by the Hamlin Board of Community Development board of directors at their meeting here Wednesday evening, Jan. 5. They will be installed at the annual banquet of the organization to be held in the high school cafeteria Thursday, Jan. 20.

Elected president to replace John Scarborough, retiring president, was Charles Reed, local manager of Winn's Stores, Inc. Other officers elected were Melvin Scott, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., first vice president; Lee Hastings, Hastings Texaco Service Station, second vice president; and Donald Young, Farmers and Merchants National Bank, re-elected treasurer.

Six new directors for the organization were elected by mail ballot of the membership and were introduced at the Wednesday meeting. They are Bobby Crowley, Joe Cortez,

Luther Haught, Robert Moore, Kenneth Hertel and Roger Bell. They will replace the following directors whose terms expire: T. C. Blankinship, Cliff Reynolds Jr., W. A. Cassle, Ellis West, Bob Craig and Scarborough.

Other retiring officers are Jack Willingham, first vice president; and Raymond Scifres, second vice president.

Directors with two more years to serve on the board are: Don Bailey, Hastings, J. O. Murphree, Scifres, Willingham and Young. Those with one more year to serve are Dr. James Harrison, Joe Hudspeth, Reed, Scott, Jerry Smith and Richard Young Jr.

Mrs. L. C. Bonds is executive secretary and ex-officio directors are Hollis Madden, Mayor of Hamlin; Charles Brumley, Jaycee President; Dr. E. D. Perrin, Public Health Officer; and Rev. Howard Jones, Ministerial Alliance president.

## TO MERKEL FRIDAY—

# Pipers, Piperettes Fall To Anson Here Tuesday

The Anson Tigers knocked the Pipers back to a tie for second place in the district race here Tuesday evening as they edged out the local team, 53-48. Anson and Hamlin are now tied for second place with 2-1 records. The Pipers will travel to Merkel Friday to take on the district leaders.

The Tigers tied the game up in the third period and then went out in front in the fourth. Three Pipers were in double figures with Milton Jones hitting 14, Rick Rodgers, 11 and

Leonard Johnson 10.

The Piperettes also dropped back to a 2-1 record as they fell to the district leaders, 39-33. Anson girls are now 3-0 in district. Becky Wright was high for the Piperettes with 15.

Hamlin won the B game, 43-36.

Hamlin won all three games last Friday in Rotan as the Pipers rolled over the Yellowhammers, 48-24, with Milton Jones hitting 14 points. The Piperettes defeated Rotan 38-18 with Alice Cooper scoring 12 points. The Hamlin B team won, 47-26.

The local teams will complete the first round of district action here Tuesday evening when they host Haskell.

## Ed Branscum Elected Chief of Fire Department

Ed Branscum was elected Chief of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department at the annual election supper Friday evening.

Other officers elected for 1972 were John Holtz, first assistant chief; Joe Cortez, second assistant chief; C. L. White, president; J. D. Miller, vice president; Jimmy Spalding, secretary; Charles Reed, assistant secretary; Freddie Franklin, first captain; J. D. Miller, second captain and John Holtz, chaplain.

Pension board members are Ellis West, three year term; Joe Cortez, two year term; and Charles Reed, one year term. Charlene Kirkland and Jesse Wayne Franklin were selected as sweetheart and mascot, respectively.

The office of the Drivers License examining officer will not be open Wednesday, Jan. 19,

# Rehab '72 Spectacular Set for Saturday Evening

Saturday at 7:15 in the Abilene Civic Center will find the second annual Rehab '72 Spectacular unfolding. Hosting this year's show will be Rex Allen.

Along with Allen in the five and one-half hour presentation, which will be seen on TV stations KRBC-Abilene, KACB in San Angelo, and KSWO in Lawton, Oklahoma, will be Shari Lewis, puppeteer, Kay Starr, songstress, Buddy Ebsen of TV fame, Arthur Duncan of the Lawrence Welk Show, Pedro Gonzalez Gonzalez, comedian, Rex Allen, Jr., and the Men of the West.

This length entertainment extravaganza will be for the benefit of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Rex Allen, long time friend of the WTRC, has recruited his friends in the entertainment field to come and join him as he hosts this show for crippled expected this to be one of the finest shows ever produced in

West Texas.

He said that he was very proud that his long time friend, Buddy Ebsen (Jed on the Beverly Hillbillies series), would be there to sing and dance so the crippled could walk.

Officials of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center stated the price of the tickets would be \$2 so that anyone who wanted to view this show in person could attend. The WTRC budget for 1972 will be \$450,541.

## Cecil Brown Enters Race for Commissioner

Cecil Brown, a lifetime resident of Hamlin, has announced that he will seek election to Commissioner of Precinct 1.

Brown, a farmer, said that he would issue a formal statement at a later date.



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**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS OBSERVED** — Residents of Holiday Lodge with birthdays in January were honored Tuesday with the presentation of gifts. From left are, standing, Ottilie Wenzel whose birthday is Jan. 29, 1892; and John S. Woodson, who was born Jan. 11, 1884; seated, Nannie Turner, born Jan. 25, 1898; Roosevelt Gilbert, born Jan. 1, 1903; and Otto F. Welch, born Jan. 3, 1886.

**Jaycee-ettes Make Plans for Future Projects**

Several future events were planned at the Thursday evening meeting of the Hamlin Jaycee-ettes.

The Multiple Sclerosis drive, originally set for Dec. 1 and called off because of bad weather, will be rescheduled in March.

Plans were also started for the annual style show and salad supper. The date will be set later.

A social for the Jaycee-ettes and their husbands was planned for this past Saturday evening. Each member brought a dish of Mexican food.

Attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Ken Prewit, Harvey Lawlis, Sam Mack Hodges, John Edd Scott and Charles Brumley.

Guests were Milburn Wink, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Pinky Sellers.

**HAMLIN WOMEN ATTEND ABILENE CHAPTER MEETING**

Members of Beta Psi Chapter of Delta Cappa Gamma met in the home of Ellen Turner of Abilene. The program, "Outstanding Women Artists and their Contribution to Art," was given by Beth Henigen, a retired Abilene art teacher.

Members from Hamlin attending were Mrs. Ethel Allan, Mrs. Everett Gibson, Mrs. Leldon Clifton, and Mrs. Joe Norton.

**HOMEMAKING ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETS TODAY**

The Advisory Council for the Homemaking Department of Hamlin High School will meet at noon today (Thursday) in the clothing lab at the school, according to Mrs. Joe Wayne Carter, and Mrs. Carlton Taylor, homemaking teachers.

This is the second of three meetings scheduled during the school year.

Charles Reed, chairman of the committee, will preside. Mrs. Steele is secretary.

Members include B. V. Newberry, Joe Cortez, Frank Meyner, Mrs. Bob Craig, Mrs. Lionel Gonzalez, Mrs. Dale Lain, Miss Mary E. Escro, Mrs. John H. Steele, Debbie Woolf, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lozano Jr. of Anson are the parents of a girl, Sylvia N., 7 lbs. 10 1/2 oz., born Jan. 6 at 9:34 a.m..

News deadline is noon Tuesday. Tuesday evening events by 10 p.m. Tuesday or 8:30 a.m. Wednesday.

**Young H'makers Plan Bake Sale Here Saturday**

A Bake Sale to be held Saturday in front of Mar-J Antiques was planned at the Monday night meeting of Young Homemakers.

The sale will begin at 9 a.m. Every member is asked to bring a homemade cake.

Mrs. Robert Fowler and Mrs. Ken Riddle of the Merle Norman Studio gave two facials demonstrating the cosmetics. The Parklane line of jewelry was shown by Mrs. Ila Henson.

Members present were Mmes. Blaine Bennet, Danny Warner, Cleon Warner, Robert Moore, Chris Pena, Bobby Stubblefield, Mac Reid, David Wade, Paul Frazier, John Poe, Randy Brown, Dick Rogers, Larry McCoy, Dan Newberry and Joe Wayne Carter.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Poe and Mrs. Pena.

**Pearce Holland, James Manning Set Wedding Date**

Feb. 12 is the date for the wedding of Pearce J. Holland and James M. Manning, both of O'Brien.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Prentice Holland of O'Brien and the late Mr. Holland. She attended Hamlin High School and graduated from Silsbee High School.

The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manning of O'Brien. He graduated from O'Brien High School and is employed at B & C Chemical in Knox City.

The couple will be married in the Foursquare Gospel Church in Knox City. Friends are invited.

**Retired Teachers To Meet Saturday**

The Jones County Retired Teachers Association will meet for a luncheon Saturday at 11:30 a.m. at the Sirloin Restaurant at Anson. Mr. E. M. Connell of Anson will have charge of the program.

All members are urged to be present, and anyone interested in becoming a member is invited to attend.

HAD A PARTY? That's news, call the HERALD.

**Jacobs, Dominey Wed In Merkel**

Linda Donnelle Jacobs of Merkel and Rodney E. Dominey were married Dec. 31 at Merkel in the Church of Christ. Bill Patton, minister, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs of Merkel. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dominey of Hamlin are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Jo Ann Doan of Snyder, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Pam Boyd of Iraan, Joyce Button and Suzanne Layland, both of Abilene.

Dan Schuette of Hamlin, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, was best man. Groomsmen were Raymond Nichols of Hamlin, Gerald Barnett of Post and Jackey Douglas of Sylvestre.

Ushers were Jimmy Jacobs of Merkel, brother of the bride, and Johnny Dominey of Stamford, brother of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of sata peau and peau d' ange with lantern sleeves and chapel train. She carried a nosegay of white roses.

Her attendants wore empire gowns of hot pink satin trimmed with deep red velvet ribbon and carried a deep red rose.

The reception was held at Merkel Restaurant.

The bride is a graduate of Merkel High School and is a senior at Abilene Christian College.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Hamlin High School and attended Cisco Junior College and Angelo State University. He is employed with Santa Fe Railroad in San Angelo.

The couple will live in San Angelo.

The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at Merkel Restaurant.

The bride was honored with a shower in Merkel and a gift tea in Hamlin in the home of Mrs. George Campbell prior to her marriage.

**Beta Theta Holds Meeting Jan. 5 In Hodges Home**

Beta Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Sam Mack Hodges.

Refreshments of cake, coffee and spiced tea were served.

Mrs. Ken Prewit, president, presided.

The program, "The History of Dress," was presented by Mrs. John Ferguson Jr. She used color drawings of dresses from the renaissance period featuring wide sleeves and low necklines to the 1970's where the "anything goes style" prevails.

She said it was once said of a girl, "She has a homely face, but a beautiful soul. Everyone who saw her was quite drawn towards her by something which made them feel she could be trusted. Her quiet, modest ways and her gentle manner gave her a charm which a pretty face and gay clothing could not give. There is no beauty like the beauty of the soul."

Mrs. Ferguson was dressed in the style of the Roaring Twenties.

Members present were Mmes. Joe E. Ford, Jack Willingham, Bob McKissack, O. H. Weaver Jr., Mack Sellers, Cecil Sellers, Johnny Jeffrey, Jerry Smith, Parker Kelley and Leldon Clifton, sponsor.

Named to the food committee were LuAnn Shira, chairman; Mignon Williams, Piper Willis, Kimi Mehaffey.

The arrangements committee includes Jan Gardner, chairman; Reta Casey, Sonja Williams, Stephanie Willingham and Lynda Harrison.

Diane Ford is in charge of decorations and Pam Peace and Velanne Rowland will be responsible for the programs.

Following the business meeting a program on "New Fashions" was given by Mrs. Ray Sonnenburg of Frank's Department Store and a lesson on "Skin Care" was given by Mrs. Robert Fowler of Merle Norman Studio.

The next meeting will be the election of officers Jan. 24.



MRS. BENNIE SAYGER JR., formerly Kathy Donnelle Hill

**Vows Read Here For Hill, Sayger**

Kathy Donnelle Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Hill, Route 2, became the bride of Bennie Sayger Jr., son of the late Mr. Bennie Sayger Sr. and Mrs. Roger Sybrant of Las Cruces, N. Mex., at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church.

Rev. Howard Jones, pastor, officiated. Reba Jackson was organist and Martha Robertson was soloist.

Mrs. Gene Greenway of Snyder, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Ruth Ann Sayger of Las Cruces, N. Mex., sister of the bridegroom, and Brenda Griffith of Paint Creek.

Paula Oliver, cousin of the bride, was flower girl. Darren Greenway, nephew of the bride, was ring bearer.

Candlelighter was Destry Greenway of Snyder, nephew of the bride.

Best man was Ronnie Hill, brother of the bride. Groomsmen and ushers were Ronnie Reel of Winters and H. T. Fillingim of Haskell. Gene Greenway of Snyder was an usher.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white silk organza in an empire, A-line silhouette. The portrait neckline was framed by a deep yoke of lace. Sheer organza sleeves had wide Puritan cuffs veiled in lace appliques. Lace enhanced the empire waistline and terminated in front with a delicate triple bow of silk organza caught with pearls. Two streamers fell from the empire waist. Her floor length mantilla veil of illusion flowed from a lace headpiece. Her bouquet of white gardenias was encircled with Frenched mums and blue cornflowers.

Attendants' gowns were of royal blue crepe and chiffon with lantern sleeves and empire waistline accented with velvet ribbon. A blue velvet bow formed their headpiece. Each carried a long stemmed white mum.

The reception was hosted by the bride's parents in Fellowship Hall.

After a wedding trip to Carlsbad Caverns, N. Mex., the couple will live in Uptown North Apartments in Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School and will receive a BS degree from Hardin-Simmons University in May. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota music fraternity and is employed by Student Financial Aid at H-SU.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Alamogordo High School and attends H-SU. He will graduate in May, 1973. He is a member of ROTC and order of Demolay. He is employed in the tax department of Abilene City Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sybrant of Las Cruces, N. Mex., hosted the rehearsal dinner in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church.

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**FHA Members Make Plans for Banquet Feb. 14**

The Future Homemakers of America, Texas Association, Hamlin Chapter, met Monday in the high school library with Pam Peace, president, presiding.

Plans for the FHA banquet to be held Feb. 14 at 7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria were made. Frank Calhoun, state legislator, will be the speaker. The price will be \$1 per plate.



And What Have You

Department are having trouble with people calling in wanting to know where the fire is when the alarm goes off. This is tying up the phone lines when the firemen need to contact the dispatcher or the dispatcher needs to contact the firemen. Making the problem very serious is the fact that the fire department is having trouble with the alarm bells and in many cases it is necessary for the dispatcher to call the firemen.

Unless you are a fireman or someone else who has a legitimate reason for knowing where a fire is, please do not call for this information. The delay could cause the loss of even more property damage or could even cause the loss of a life.

For many years now the voters of Texas have opposed any move to have our Legislature meet in annual sessions instead of bi-annual. But it appears to me that the public must take a new look at this if we are to avoid a major breakdown in both state and local government.

The problem facing this state with its bi-annual sessions are the day to day rulings being handed down by our state and federal courts. A typical example of this is the recent ruling on school finances. Unless utter chaos is to prevail in our school systems across the state the Legislature must act before next year when it meets in regular session.

Other court created problems that must be faced by the state legislature are the constant new rulings on welfare, redistricting, etc.

Boys B Team  
Downs Hawley for  
Tournament Title

The Hamlin boys B Team basketball team captured the championship trophy in the boys division of the Merkel B Team basketball tournament Saturday evening by defeating Hawley in the finals, 44-29. Bill Cork led the Hamlin scoring with 23 points.

Hamlin defeated Winters in the opening round of the tourney Thursday, 48-29, with Cork scoring 17 points. Hamlin downed Merkel in the second round of action Saturday afternoon, 44-29, with Alfred McAfee scoring 20 points.

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The courts seem to be good at creating problems but do very little towards finding answers to these problems.

Another big one facing us right now is filing fees for the upcoming primary elections. A Dallas court last summer struck down the primary filing fee system as followed for years in the state.

The ruling held that the filing fees required in some cases were exorbitant and prevented ordinary people from running for office, and that the policy of making the candidates pay the costs of the primary election was inequitable. The case has been appealed to the Supreme Court.

But what happens now. The deadline for filing for the primaries is Feb. 7 and if the court rules that the candidates do not have to pay for the costs of the primary elections, who will?

While many people may not realize that the state does not pay for either the Democratic or Republican primaries — this is the case. If as expected, the Supreme Court upholds the ruling, who is going to pay for the election costs. The counties cannot unless authorized by the Legislature or the Courts. The political parties do not have the money to pay for election clerks and supplies for all over the state and the voters cannot be charged for voting so again everything is in a big mess.

We are either going to have to get a faster legislative process or else slow down the court rulings and this does not seem possible.

Rotary Told Total Action  
Needed to Fight Pollution

Solving the nation's pollution problems can be done only through total community action involving individuals, governments at all levels, and business and industrial organizations, a Continental Oil Company representative declared here today.

Harold Dewlen, Division Office Manager for Continental Oil Company, Midland, Texas, told a luncheon audience of the Hamlin Rotary Club, that pollution itself is not new. "But man's determination to do something about it is."

Turning to the petroleum industry, he noted that "oil companies spend some \$1.5 million a day to solve pollution problems. The U. S. Chamber of Commerce says petroleum leads all American industries in such expenditures."

Pollution abatement is also a major budget item at Conoco, Dewlen added. The company has budgeted \$16.6 million for air and water conservation and land reclamation this year, a sum equal to about nine percent of the firm's anticipated net

income.

He made particular mention of Conoco's operations in the Aransas Wildlife Refuge of South Texas, winter home of the majestic whooping crane.

"We plan our production and drilling activities with the birds prominently in mind," he noted. "As a result, the company received the National Audubon Society's citation of merit, the first time any U. S. corporation has received this honor. More important, the whooping crane population has been steadily increasing from near extinction to the latest count of 57 birds."

Even though Continental and the petroleum industry are involved and spending huge sums of money, they don't have all their pollution problems solved, Dewlen concluded. "But I prefer to be an optimist; I think we can continue to move forward. It will take lots of money, cooperation among individuals, government and business, and commitment. But it can be done."

Jr. High Teams  
To Travel to  
Rotan Tonight

The Junior High School basketball teams will travel to Rotan tonight (Thursday) with the seventh grade boys playing at 5:30, to be followed by the eighth grade girls and then the eighth grade boys. Next week the eighth grade boys and girls will be playing in the Aspermont Tournament on Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

Playing here Monday evening the seventh and eighth grade boys defeated Stamford with the seventh grade winning, 32-20 and the eighth grade winning, 34-25. Delbert Thompson was high for the seventh grade with 18 and Daniel Willis hit 12 for the eighth grade and Gary Don Mayes 11. The eighth grade girls lost to Stamford, 24-17, with Elaine Carlton hitting six points.

The eighth grade boys won consolation honors in the Junior High Tournament held in Anson last week by defeating Wylie in the final round, 45-20, with Gerald Rodgers scoring 14 points. In the second round game played Saturday morning the eighth grade boys downed Merkel, 39-25, with Rodgers scoring nine points.

The eighth grade girls lost to

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Merkel in the second round of the tourney, 23-12, with Melissa Madden scoring six points.

Eighth grade boys and girls basketball teams will be participating in the Aspermont tournament, Jan. 17, 20, and 22.

The girls first game will be at 7 p.m. Monday with Rule. The boys play Rule at 8 p.m. Winners play Thursday evening and losers play Saturday morning. Finals will be at 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 22.

**Mother of Local Woman Dies In Sweetwater Sat.**

Mrs. Mary E. Clark, 96, mother of Mrs. Harold Bonner, died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday in her home in Sweetwater.

Services were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in the Church of Christ, Fourth and Elm, in Sweetwater.

She was born Apr. 16, 1875, at East St. Louis, Ill., and came to Texas with her parents in 1880 in a covered wagon.

She married J. W. Clark Nov. 27, 1892, in Dodd, and moved to Fisher County in 1906. Mr. Clark died in 1934 and Mrs. Clark moved to Sweetwater 10 years later. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Florence McClain and Mrs. Ella Mae Bonner, both of Sweetwater, Mrs. Bonner of Hamlin, Mrs. C. R. Jordan of Monument, N. M., and Mrs. P. A. Ammons of Lubbock; two sons, Paul of Buffalo, Wyo., and Clyde of Sacramento, Calif.; 32 grandchildren; 64 great-grandchildren; and 12 great-great grandchildren.

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Hamlin High Happenings

Piper Patter

By Jimmie Bishop

The halls of Hamlin High seemed to come alive again Monday. The students at HHS began a new school year Monday.

Several members of the band attended a regional band contest Jan. 8-9. Among those attending were Karen Jackson, Mary Dell Jenkins, Terri Casey and Rene Gonzalez. The members attended an all day clinic under Francis MacBeth

Saturday. Terri Casey and Mary Dell Jenkins are now eligible for area competition. Terri was placed first chair saxophone and Mary Dell was placed third chair French Horn. Karen Jackson was placed fourth chair bassoon.

Members of the FHA had a meeting Monday. Mrs. Robert Fowler and Mrs. Ray Sonnenburg presented the program. Mrs. Fowler presented her part on Merle Norman Cosmetics. Mrs. Sonnenburg told of the new spring fashions. The members began planning the FHA beau banquet.

All of the Basketball teams have started the new year in a victorious way. Tuesday night against Stamford the varsity girls won 58-28, the varsity boys won 31-29. The B-team boys won by a score of 51-27. Thursday night the Freshman girls beat Rotan girls 45-18. The Freshman boys won 38-34. Monday the Freshman girls beat Merkel 35-22, the boys won 51-40.

Friday all three teams traveled to Rotan and returned home with three victories. The varsity girls victory came with a score of 38-18. The varsity boys won 48-24; the B-team boys won, 47-26.

The three teams will play host to Anson Tuesday night, and travel to Merkel Friday.

Hamlin Jaycees  
Express Thanks for  
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The Hamlin Jaycees expressed their appreciation to the many supporters who made the annual Hamlin Community Livestock Show possible. The show was held in the Jaycee Community Building and was sponsored by the Jaycees in conjunction with the Hamlin Chapter of Future Farmers of America.

Along with a number of individuals, the Jaycees expressed their thanks to the following businesses that contributed to the show: Albritton Motor Co., Carlton Implement Co., Connally Ford Sales, Farmers and Merchants National Bank, Farmers Co-op Gin of Neinda, Hamlin Farmers Compress Co., Hamlin Farmers Co-op Gin, Hamlin Flying Service, Howard Drug Co., Moore Elevator, Inc., Pied Piper Mills, Inc., and Sweetwater Livestock Auction.





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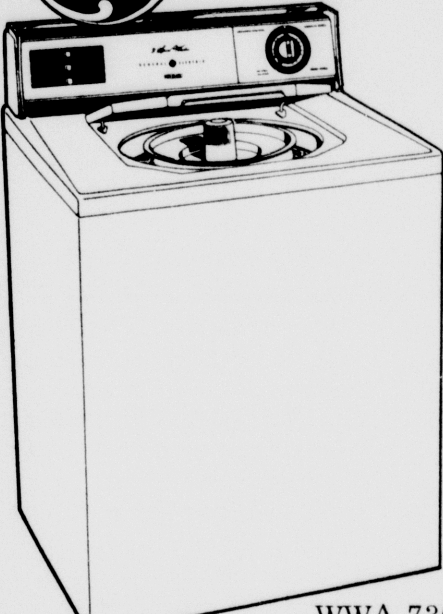
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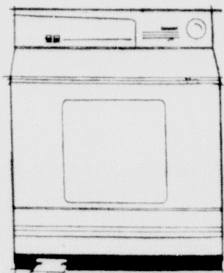
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NEWS FROM ...  
**Old Glory**  
By Bernice D. White

Manuel Castro, a 1967 graduate of Old Glory School, has completed requirements for a Bachelor's degree at Angelo State University at San Angelo and has been employed to teach in the Science Department at Lincoln Jr. High in San Angelo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Castro of Old Glory.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boles, Rickey and Cynthia, have moved into their new home. The Boles home on the Butler Ranch north of Old Glory was destroyed by fire early in December. The Boles family have been staying with the C. T. Pierce's until the house could be replaced. The Butlers have also replaced the pick-up, as the ranch pick-up and family car were also destroyed by the fire.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Adelbert (Olga) Suter who passed away at the Stamford Hospital Sunday night. Mrs. Suter was reared in the Sagerton community but had lived here all her married life. She will be missed by her family and friends here.

Mrs. W. G. Wienke was able to return home from the Stamford Hospital where she had been a patient. Her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doty of Garden City, Kans., have been here visiting with her.

Judy White of Lubbock has been here visiting her mother, Mrs. Bernice White and grandmother, Mrs. Tillie Dippel. Also here visiting with Judy and her family recently have been Phil Cantrell of Twiddle and Barbara Maxey of Jacksboro. Both are also students at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Mrs. Minnie Schmidt and Paul visited in Lueders on New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koch and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Bossie.

Mrs. Alfred Letz is reported to be improved and has been released from Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene where she underwent surgery. She plans, however, to remain in Abilene for several days for further treatment.

Among those who have visited with Mrs. Letz while she was in Hendricks were Mrs. Minnie Schmidt and Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Flowers returned home last Friday after a ten day stay in Temple where Mr. Flowers underwent a physical examination and received treatment at Scott and White Hospital there. He is reported to be feeling better.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Flowers last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bailey and Miss Hazel Trice of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rainey of Haskell. Saturday visitors included Mrs. Hazel Overton and D. C. Macon of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Macon of Rule, also several of their Old Glory neighbors have been there visiting with them.

Two former residents of the community are known to be on the sick list. Mike Baldree of Abilene spent two days in the Haskell Memorial Hospital and Albert Dippel of Stamford is a patient in the Stamford Memorial Hospital.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Hamlin Herald is authorized to make the following announcements for office in Jones County, subject to action of the Democratic primaries in 1972.

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TWO HOMES DAMAGED HERE BY FIRES IN PAST TWO WEEKS

Two residence fires have occurred in Hamlin within a two-week period. The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Priddy, 745 S. E. Ave. B was heavily damaged Dec. 31 and the carport at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hastings was destroyed Monday.

The alarm for the J. O. Priddy home was sounded at 12:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 31. The fire, believed to have started in a closet in the kitchen, completely gutted the kitchen and severely damaged other parts of the home. Two rooms were restored enough to be livable for the family until they can make future plans.

The fire at the Hastings home at 4 p.m. Monday destroyed the carport on the north. The home was damaged by smoke, but there was no water damage, Hastings said. The fire originated in the storage area under the carport.

Hastings is a volunteer fireman and was first on the scene.

Holiday Lodge Residents, Staff Express Thanks

James Crowley, manager of Holiday Lodge, home for senior citizens, this week extended appreciation on behalf of the residents and staff for all the thoughtful expressions of friendship extended during the Christmas season.

Many gifts, including candy, fruit and flowers, added to the enjoyment of the season, he said.

Thanks are expressed to the following: Ladies of the Church of Christ; WMU, First Baptist Church; Mary Martha Sunday School Class, First Baptist Church of Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williams; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith; Mrs. O. L. Rich; WSCS, First United Methodist Church; Mrs. Rav Huling; Howard Drug Co.; Foster Funeral Home; Gleaners Sunday School Class, Central Baptist Church, Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Ben McNeely; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carlton and family of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Offield; and the Hamlin Garden Club. The Garden Club sponsored a tea for the residents during Thanksgiving.

Church, Stamford and the choir will be composed of singers from all the churches.

There is to be two sessions of the conference, the afternoon session at 2:00 p.m. and the night session at 7:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited and welcome to attend either or both of the sessions.

3.3% INCREASE— 73 More Phones Added Here During Past Year

More than 2,200 telephones were in service in Hamlin as of December 1, a healthy increase of 3.3 percent during 1971, Bud McCasland, manager for Southwestern Bell, said today.

"Telephone growth is considered a good indicator of overall economic growth," McCasland said. "The addition of 73 phones last year shows that Hamlin is on the grow."

McCasland said Hamlin residents are using their phones more, too. "In November, 7,900 calls were dialed here on an average business day. That's a two percent increase over November, 1970."

Looking to the future, McCasland said local telephone projects scheduled here this year include the installation of dial equipment to provide 100 new phone numbers for future growth.

New buried cable will also be installed to serve the rural area southwest of the city. "Growth and expansion are likely to continue for the city's communications system," McCasland said. "Telephone engineers predict that Hamlin will have more than 2,700 telephones in service by the end of 1975."

He added that a record \$150 million construction budget has been set for Southwestern Bell's San Antonio Area, of which Hamlin is a part. The 1972

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Mrs. W. H. Parker  
R. E. Goldsmith  
Mrs. Bill Foster  
L. C. Hoover  
Clara Montgomery  
A. D. Hardy  
Mrs. K. R. Culpepper  
Mrs. L. B. Williams  
Mrs. Ione Fomby  
Joey Duncan  
Winnie Waggoner  
Mrs. J. L. Kennedy  
Mitzi Hunter  
Mrs. Virginia Boil  
Mrs. Nesta Bagley  
C. R. Faulkenberry  
A. S. Graham  
Mrs. W. J. Madden  
Mrs. H. B. McLaury  
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## Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Seth Adams

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the Church of Christ for Seth Adams, 80, Gene Johnston, minister, officiated.

Mr. Adams died at 1:30 a.m. Monday at the Veteran's Administration Hospital in Dallas.

Mr. Adams was born Oct. 6, 1891 in Hillsboro. He moved to Hamlin with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adams, in 1901. He attended Gunter Bible College at Gunter and Harper Bible College at Harper, Kans. He married the former Corine Ross in Stamford on May 27, 1922. The couple moved from Stamford to Hamlin in 1929.

He was a veteran of World War I, a retired farmer, and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are his wife; one son, Dr. Seth Adams Jr. of Gunnison, Colo., biology professor at Western State College; two daughters, Mrs. K. W. (Olive) Morris of Tolar and Mrs. W. L. (Jane) Cannon of Dallas; three brothers, A. W. of Sulphur Springs, Roy of Wichita, Kans. and Luther of Stamford; one sister, Mrs. Candace Gregory of Sherman; and six grandchildren.

Two sons preceded him in death, Warren in 1944 and Jon in 1961.

Pallbearers were R. D. Wade, H. R. Daniell, Woody Scott, E. J. Rowland, J. D. Wyatt, and G. O. Selph.

The School Land Board and other Boards for Lease will hold an oil and gas lease sale at the General Land Office here May 2.

## Carlos Gonzalez Captures Top Honors In Local Show

Carlos Gonzalez, Hamlin Future Farmer of America member, showed the grand champion and reserve champion breeding swine and the reserve champion barrow here Saturday in the annual Hamlin Community Livestock Show sponsored by the Hamlin Jaycees.

He also was named showmanship winner.

Gonzalez and his brother, George, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gonzalez, dominated the swine show here as George rounded out the championships by taking the grand champion for the barrow he showed.

Another brother team carried off the honors in the rabbit division as Ronald Crouch showed the grand champion and his brother, Randy, showed the reserve champion. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Crouch.

**RABBIT DIVISION**  
Bucks: 1. Randy Crouch, FFA; 2. Randy Crouch, FFA; 3. Guylan Roberts, 4-H; 4. Robert Morales, 4-H; 5. Ruben Romero, FFA; 6. Wayne Turner, FFA; 7. Gordon Wells, FFA.

Does: 1. Ronald Crouch, 4-H; 2. Randy Crouch, FFA; 3. Gary Creason, FFA; 4. David Thompson, FFA; 5. Ronald Crouch, 4-H; 6. Guylan Roberts, 4-H; 7. Robert Morales, 4-H; 8. David Thompson, FFA; 9. David Thompson, FFA; 10. Randy Crouch, FFA; 11. Gordon Wells, FFA; 12. Wayne Turner, FFA.

Grand Champion Rabbit: Ronald Crouch, Doe  
Reserve Champion Rabbit: Randy Crouch, Buck

**POULTRY DIVISION**  
Broilers: 1. Larry Jayroe, FFA; 2. Larry Jayroe, FFA; 3. Ruben Romero, FFA; 4. Ruben Romero, FFA; 5. Ruben Romero, FFA; 6. Larry Jayroe, FFA; 7. Frankie Kirkland, FFA; 8. Frankie Kirkland, FFA.

Laying Hens: 1. Larry Jayroe, FFA; 2. Larry Jayroe, FFA; 3. Ruben Romero, FFA; 4. Ruben Romero, FFA; 5. Ruben Romero, FFA; 6. Frankie Kirkland, FFA.

Grand Champion Poultry Exhibit: Larry Jayroe, Laying Hens  
Reserve Champion Poultry Exhibit: Larry Jayroe, Laying Hens

**BREEDING SWINE**  
Duroc Gilts: 1. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 2. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 3. Gilbert Romero, FFA; 4. Gilbert Romero, FFA; 5. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 6. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 7. Oscar Guerra, FFA.

Crossbred Gilts: 1. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 2. George Gonzalez, FFA; 3. Gilbert Romero, FFA; 4. Gilbert Romero, FFA.

Duroc Sows: 1. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 2. Oscar Guerra, FFA.  
Hampshire Sows: 1. Gilbert

Romero, FFA; 2. Gilbert Romero, FFA.

Grand Champion Breeding Swine: Carlos Gonzalez, Duroc Gilt

Reserve Champion Breeding Swine: Carlos Gonzalez, Crossbred Gilt

**MARKET BARROWS**  
Duroc Barrows: 1. George Gonzalez, FFA; 2. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 3. Ray Sonnenburg, FFA; 4. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 5. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 6. George Gonzalez, FFA; 7. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 8. Gary Lain, 4-H; 9. Travis Lain, 4-H; 10. Oscar Guerra, FFA.

Chester Barrows: 1. David Moore, 4-H; 2. Ray Sonnenburg, FFA; 3. Ray Sonnenburg, FFA; 4. David Moore, 4-H; 5. Travis Lain, 4-H.

Crossbred Barrows: 1. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 2. Oscar Guerra, FFA; 3. Travis Lain, 4-H; 4. Carlos Gonzalez, FFA; 5. George Gonzalez, FFA.

Grand Champion Barrow: George Gonzalez, Duroc  
Reserve Champion Barrow: Carlos Gonzalez, Duroc

**BREEDING BEEF**  
Heifers under one year: 1. Tom Max Hogan, Polled Hereford, FFA; 2. Tom Max Hogan, Polled Hereford, FFA; 3. Rickey Gruben, Crossbred, FFA.

Grand Champion Breeding Beef: Tom Max Hogan, Polled Hereford

Reserve Champion Breeding Beef: Tom Max Hogan, Polled Hereford

**MARKET BEEF**  
Market Steers: 1. LaVona Harendt, Charolais-cross, 4-H; 2. Doris Harendt, Hereford, 4-H.

Commercial Beef: Hi Good — Tom Max Hogan, FFA; good — Rickey Gruben, FFA; Tom Max Hogan, FFA; Paul Waggoner, FFA; Standard — Rickey Crowley, FFA; Tim Lewis, FFA.

Grand Champion Market Beef: LaVona Harendt  
Reserve Champion Market Beef: Doris Harendt.

### Pack Meeting Set Tuesday Evening

There will be a pack meeting for all Cub Scouts and their parents Tuesday night, Jan. 18, at 7:30 p.m., at the primary school cafeteria.

Young Bill Maddox, Scoutmaster, will preside. The opening will be presented by Den 3; the skit by Den 1; the yell or song by Den 4; and the closing by Den 2.

All dens will be given an opportunity to show crafts.

**THIRD SUNDAY SINGING**  
The Third Sunday Singing will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bessie King, secretary, says a number of good singers are expected. Joe Murff, president, will preside.



**SHOWS CHAMPION BARROW** — George Gonzalez, FFA member, holds trophy won with his champion barrow at the Community Livestock Show held here Saturday. With George is Georgia Deaton, FFA sweetheart, Hamlin chapter. (Photo by Larry Jayroe)



**BROTHERS SHOW CHAMPIONS** — Randy Crouch, left, and his brother, Ronald, were top winners in the rabbit division of the Community Livestock Show held Saturday. Randy, FFA member, showed the reserve champion rabbit. Ronald, a 4-H member, showed the champion.



**CHAMPION POULTRY EXHIBIT** — Larry Jayroe, Hamlin High School senior FFA member, won champion poultry honors with his exhibit of laying hens at the Community Livestock Show Saturday.

### Bridge Winners

Mrs. Preston Morrow and Mrs. Jack Patton, both of Rotan, were first place winners at the Tuesday evening Hamlin

Duplicate Bridge Club meeting.

Mrs. Floyd Briscoe and Mrs. L. W. Shivers were second and Mrs. Dale Lain and Gene Knabel were third.

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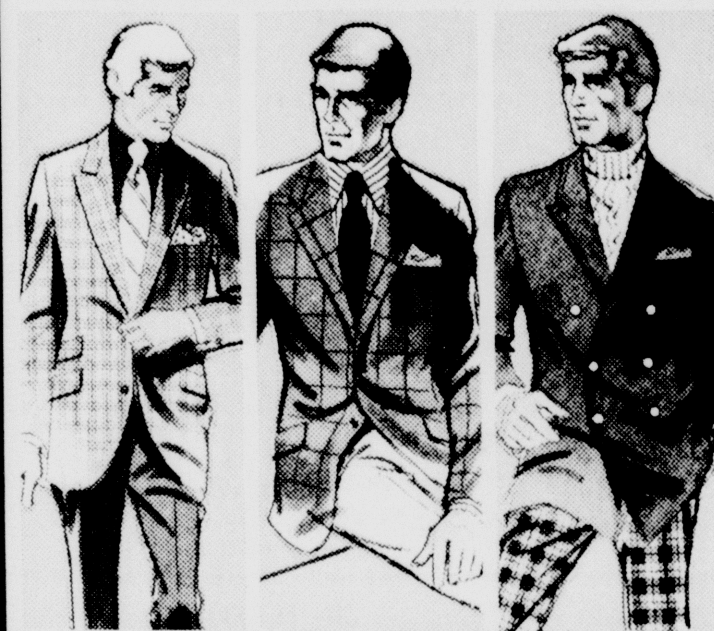
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